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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of: Hans-Dietrich Polaschegg
Serial No.: 10/769,961
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For: PREVENTION OF INDWELLING DEVICE RELATED
INFECTION: COMPOSITION AND METHODS
Examiner: James William Rogers, Ph.D.
Group Art Unit: 1618
Attorney's Docket No.: POLA-01

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Sir:

PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND

Applicant hereby petitions for a three (3) month extension of time to respond to the outstanding OFFICIAL ACTION mailed May 14, 2008 with respect to the above-identified patent application, thereby extending the time for response from August 14, 2008 to November 14, 2008.

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